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25X1COUNTRY East GermanyREPORT NO. TOPIC Parchim Airfield25X1 EVALUATION PLACE OBTAINED 25X1DATE OF CONTENT September 195225X1 DATE OBTAINED PREPARED 11 November 1952REFERENCES PAGES 1 ENCLOSURES (NO. & TYPE) REMARKS

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1. In September 1952, Parchim airfield was surveyed by the Bauunion Berlin. Construction work at the field was to be executed by the Bauunion Brandenburg. The fact that surveying and construction work were executed by two different Bauunion firms was necessary because of accounting procedures. However, source believed that this was done for security reasons because the same procedure was used at Tutow airfield. ¹

2. Between 14 and 18 September, there was no flying at the field. At 3 p.m. on 16 September, 12 jet fighters which had not taken off from Parchim airfield flew over Parchim. ²

25X1 1. Comment. It was reported that previously that construction work at Parchim airfield would be executed by the Bauunion in Brandenburg.25X1 2. Comment. On 16 September, the fighter regiments from Laerz and Wittstock of the fighter division in Laerz held a combined exercise. It is believed that aircraft of these regiments flew over Parchim airfield during these exercises.**REFERENCE COPY****DO NOT CIRCULATE**CLASSIFICATION **SECRET**

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